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In re Application of:

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For: **METHOD OF AND
APPARATUS FOR
DIRECTLY MAPPING
COMMUNICATIONS
THROUGH A ROUTER
BETWEEN NODES ON
DIFFERENT BUSES
WITHIN A NETWORK OF
BUSES**

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) **REQUEST FOR A ONE MONTH
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Sir:

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